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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Applicants : Jiangchun Xu et al.  
 Application No. : 09/657,279  
 Filed : September 6, 2000  
 For : COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR THE THERAPY AND  
 DIAGNOSIS OF PROSTATE CANCER

Art Unit : not assigned  
 Docket No. : 210121.427C19  
 Date : January 31, 2001

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 Washington, DC 20231

PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

Applicants herewith petition the Assistant Commissioner of Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a two-month extension of time for filing the response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated October 20, 2000, from December 20, 2000 to February 20, 2001. Submitted herewith is a check for \$1,230, which includes \$390 to cover the cost of the extension requested herein.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 19-1090. This petition is being submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,  
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